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42783-0045
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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**DECLARATION**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **DATA PROTECTION FOR APPLICATIONS ON A MOBILE ELECTRONIC DEVICE**, the specification of which

(Check one) ☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as  
Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, S.1.56.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own know-ledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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*Neil Adams*

Inventor's Signature

*Feb 25/2004*  
Date

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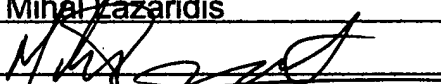
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as attorney(s) or agent(s) to represent the undersigned before the United States Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) in connection with any and all patent applications assigned only to the undersigned according to the USPTO assignment records or assignment documents attached to this form in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).

Assignee Name and Address:

Research In Motion Limited  
295 Phillip Street  
Waterloo, Ontario, Canada N2L 3W8**A copy of this form, together with a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) (Form PTO/SB/96 or equivalent) is required to be filed in each application in which this form is used. The statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) may be completed by one of the practitioners appointed in this form if the appointed practitioner is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee, and must identify the application in which this Power of Attorney is to be filed.****SIGNATURE of Assignee of Record**

The individual whose signature and title is supplied below is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee

Name	Mihel Kazaridis		
Signature		Date	16 Feb 2004
Title	President & Co-CEO	Telephone	519-888-7465

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: Research In Motion Limited

Application No./Patent No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Filed/Issue Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Entitled: Data Protection for Applications on a Mobile Electronic DeviceResearch In Motion Limited, a Corporation  
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☐ an assignee of less than the entire right, title and interest.  
The extent (by percentage) of its ownership interest is \_\_\_\_\_ %  
in the patent application/patent identified above by virtue of either:

A. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application/patent identified above. The assignment was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel \_\_\_\_\_, Frame \_\_\_\_\_, or for which a copy thereof is attached.

**OR**

B. ☐ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application/patent identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Feb.25/04

Date

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Telephone number

David J. Greer

Typed or printed name



Signature

Patent Agent

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**WORLDWIDE ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, WE (hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNORS"):

Neil Adams – 550 Little Dover Cres., Waterloo, Ontario N2K 4E4, Canada  
Herb Little – 504 Old Oak Place, Waterloo, Ontario N2T 2V8, Canada

have invented certain new and useful improvements in an invention entitled **DATA PROTECTION FOR APPLICATIONS ON A MOBILE ELECTRONIC DEVICE** and for which an application for United States Letters Patent will be filed, and as further identified by Docket No. 42783-0045 and RIM Reference No. ID 0529; and

WHEREAS, **RESEARCH IN MOTION LIMITED**, (hereinafter referred to as the "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation organized under the laws of the Province of Ontario, CANADA, having a place of business at 295 Phillip Street, Waterloo, Ontario, CANADA, N2L 3W8, is desirous of acquiring the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said application inclusive of any and all priority rights derived therefrom and the inventions therein disclosed, and in and to all Letters Patent, both United States and foreign, to be granted for said inventions;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I/WE, ASSIGNOR(S) does/do hereby confirm sale, assignment, transfer, and set over, and hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over unto the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid application for United States Letters Patent inclusive of any and all priority rights derived therefrom, and the inventions therein disclosed, and in and to all Letters Patent and issues thereof which may be granted upon said application and in and to all Letters Patent which may be issued upon any substitutes, divisions, or continuations of said application, and in and to any and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said inventions in any foreign country or countries; the same to be held and enjoyed by the ASSIGNEE for its own use and behoof, and for the use and behoof of its successors and assigns, to the full end of the term or terms for which said Letters Patent and reissues thereof may be granted as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by me (us) had this assignment and sale not been made;

AND I/WE, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby agrees/agree to execute, upon request, any and all further papers which may be necessary or desirable to enable the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, to file and prosecute said application, and any and all substitutes, divisions, or continuations thereof, and any and all reissues of the Letters Patent granted upon said application, or upon any substitutes, divisions, or continuations thereof, and any and all applications for foreign Letters Patent on said inventions; and ASSIGNOR(S) further agrees/agree to execute any and all further papers which may be necessary or desirable to vest or perfect the title of ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, in and to said application and the inventions therein disclosed, and in and to any and all Letters Patent and reissues thereof, both United States and foreign, which may be granted upon said application, and any substitutes, divisions, or continuations thereof, and upon any foreign applications.

AND I/WE, ASSIGNOR(S) hereby authorizes/authorize and requests/request The Commissioner of Patents to issue each and every Letters Patent to be granted upon the aforesaid application for United States Letters Patent, and upon any and all substitutes, divisions, and continuations of said application, and each and every reissue of said Letters Patent, to the ASSIGNEE, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of the entire right, title and interest therein, in accordance with this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this assignment has been executed below by the undersigned:

Date: Feb 25/2004

Neil Adams

Neil Adams

550 Little Dover Cres., Waterloo, Ontario N2K 4E4, Canada,

STATEMENT BY WITNESS

I, Michael S. Brown, whose full Post Office address is

350 University Downs Cres, Waterloo, ON N2K 4B1  
(Address of Witness)

hereby declare that I was personally present and did see the above named person, personally known to me to be the person named in the assignment, duly sign and execute the same.

Date: Feb. 25, 2004.

Michael S. Brown  
(Signature of Witness)

Date: Feb 25 2004

Herb A Little

Herb Little

504 Old Oak Place, Waterloo, Ontario N2T 2V8, Canada

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